GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH
ABSTRACT

HM & FW - Enrollment of all the faculty of Broad Specialty (Clinical) and Super Specialty working in the Institutions under the control of Director of Medical Education as panel doctors in Dr. YSR Aarogyasri Health Care Trust on honorarium basis as per the norms of Trust for scrutinizing and processing the pre-authorization and claims - Orders – Issued.

HEALTH, MEDICAL AND FAMILY WELFARE (A) DEPARTMENT

G.O.Ms.No.18.

Dated:24.01.2024.

Read:

From the CEO., Dr. YSR Aarogyasri Health Care Trust Proposal Computer No.2329074.

ORDER :

Dr.YSR.Aarogyasri Health Scheme is a prestigious Program implemented by Government of Andhra Pradesh for providing cashless treatment to all the eligible beneficiaries in the Empaneled Network Hospitals both in Government and Private Sector in 3,257 notified procedures. Government have taken this great initiative for providing Universal Health coverage for all the eligible poor and needy people and reduce out of pocket expenditure on health. Accordingly, the Government have increased number of procedures from 1,049 in 2019 to 3,257 for the benefit of the people of the State.

2. In the reference read above, the CEO., Dr. YSR Aarogyasri Health Care Trust has informed that, the Trust is giving prior approval to Network Hospitals in the form of preauthorization using Dr. YSR Aarogyasri online portal. In the online workflow, concerned Specialist Doctor must scrutinize the Documents and Reports furnished by the Network Hospital and issue preauthorization approval for treatment. After completion of the treatment to the patient, the Network Hospital has to raise the claims in the online module. In the Claim process, the concerned Specialist Doctor must scrutinize the detailed Case sheets, Intra Operative Photos, Webex videos, Bills of the particular patients etc. and recommend for claim payment.

3. The CEO had informed that due to the focus given by the State Government on creating awareness about Aarogyasri program and vision of Hon'ble Chief Minister to cover all the procedures costing more than Rs.1000, the patient flow to the Network Hospitals has increased abnormally which resulted in increased number of preauthorizations & claims from 1,547 to 5,608 per day. Because of increased workload and less number of active panel doctors, claim settlement is not taking place within the stipulated time of 21 days. Hon'ble Chief Minister during the review of Health department had given directions to ensure the claims processing within 21 days without fail. He had requested to allow empaneling of all specialist and super specialist doctors working in Director of Medical Education institutions for expediting the preauthorisations and claims processing to ensure quality treatment under Dr YSR Aarogyasri scheme.

4. The Government have convened a meeting with Director Medical Education, Director of Secondary Health and CEO., Dr. YSR Aarogyasri Health Care Trust on. In order to ensure quality of scrutiny, faster preauthorization approvals and to ensure economy of expenditure, it has been decided to enlist the co-operation of all the faculty members working under the control of Director of Medical Education institutions both in Broad Specialty (clinical) and Super specialty and empanel them with Dr.YSR.Arogyasri Health Care Trust.

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5. In view of the larger public interest, ensuring better quality health services to the common people, improve the quality of scrutiny of pre authorizations and claims and bring more transparency in the process, Government hereby direct the Director of Medical Education to instruct all the faculty members working in the Institutions under his control both in Broad Specialty (Clinical) and Super specialty to get enrollment in Dr. YSR Aarogyasri Health Care Trust as panel doctors for scrutinizing/processing the pre-authorization and claims on honorarium basis as per the norms of Aarogyasri Health Care Trust on. The detailed guidelines for processing pre authorizations and scrutiny of claims will be given by CEO, Dr.YSR.Aarogyasri Health Care Trust.

6. The Director of Medical Education and the CEO., Dr. YSR Aarogyasri Health Care Trust shall take further necessary action accordingly.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

M.T.KRISHNA BABU
SPECIAL CHIEF SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

To
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The CEO., Dr. YSR Aarogyasri Health Care Trust.
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